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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: TANIMOTO et al.

Serial No.: 09/774,641

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Examiner: Patricia K.

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For: CLOSED HEAT-DECOMPOSING APPLIANCE, PRETREATMENT METHOD OF  
SAMPLE USING IT, ANALYTICAL METHOD AND DEVICE THEREFOR

**NOTICE OF APPEAL**

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Sir:

Appeal is taken from the rejection of the claims set forth in the Office Action mailed April  
30, 2003.

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Respectfully submitted

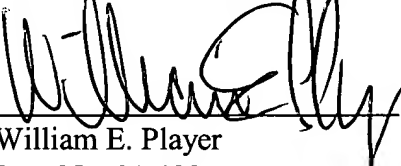
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